



State Water Resources Control Board



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NOTICE OF STATUS REPORT WORKSHOP AND PUBLIC SCOPING MEETING

Sediment Quality Objectives for Enclosed Bays and Estuaries of California

Monday – October 23, 2006
San Diego Regional Water Quality Control Board
9174 Sky Park Court, Suite 100
San Diego, CA 92123-4340

Wednesday – November 8, 2006
San Francisco Bay Regional Water Quality Control Board
1515 Clay St., Suite 1400
Oakland, CA 94612

Meeting Time: 9 a.m.–12 p.m.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board) will hold a status report workshop and public scoping meeting on Sediment Quality Objectives for Enclosed Bays and Estuaries of California at the locations and time specified above. The purpose of these meetings is to seek input on the scope and content of the environmental information to be included in the draft environmental document prepared to support the proposed sediment quality objectives and implementation policy. Interested parties may attend either of the above locations. An agenda will be posted at: <http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/bptcp/sediment.html>.

AVAILABILITY OF THE PROPOSED SEDIMENT QUALITY OBJECTIVES

A scoping document describing draft sediment quality objectives and implementation measures is available electronically on the State Water Board Web site at: <http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/bptcp/sediment.html>.

You may also receive a paper copy by writing or calling: Stephanie Tadlock, Division of Water Quality, State Water Resources Control Board, P.O. Box 100, Sacramento, CA 95812-0100, (916) 341-6899, Fax: (916) 341-5584, email: stadlock@waterboards.ca.gov.

SUBMISSION OF COMMENTS

The State Water Board will accept both written comments and oral suggestions on the scope and content of the environmental information that should be included in the

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environmental document. Comments should be limited to sediment quality objectives, development and implementation measures. The State Water Board is specifically seeking recommendations and suggestions on the range of actions, alternatives, mitigation measures, and potential significant effects to be analyzed in the environmental document, and will be eliminating from detailed study those issues found not to be important. **Written comments should be submitted no later than 5 p.m. on November 16, 2006** to Song Her, Clerk to the Board, Executive Office, State Water Resources Control Board, P.O. Box 100, Sacramento, CA 95812-0100; Fax: (916) 341-5620 or email: commentletters@waterboards.ca.gov. Please indicate in the subject line, "Comment Letter–Sediment Quality Objectives." Electronic submission via email is preferred.

PARKING AND ACCESSIBILITY

For directions and parking information, please refer to:

San Diego Water Board Office:

<http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/sandiego/index.html>

San Francisco Bay Water Board Office:

<http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/sanfranciscobay/direction.htm>

The meeting facilities are accessible to persons with disabilities. Individuals requiring special accommodations are requested to call the following individuals at least five working days prior to the meeting date:

San Diego Meeting Contact

Ms. Lori Costa at (858) 467-2357 or lcosta@waterboards.ca.gov. TTY/TDD/Speech-to-Speech users may dial 7-1-1 for the California Relay Service.

Oakland Meeting Contact

Ms. Mary Tryon at (510) 622-2399 or mtryon@waterboards.ca.gov. TTY users may contact the California Relay Service at 1-800-735-2929 or voice line at 1-800-735-2922.

Please RSVP

If you plan to attend, we request that you RSVP to Ms. Stephanie Tadlock at (916) 341-6899 or stadlock@waterboards.ca.gov.

September 22, 2006

Date



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Clerk to the Board